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The City of Greenfield wishes to clarify how the Governor's Essential Services Order dated March 23, 2020 and how it pertains to the continuing operations of construction projects, both public and private. Construction projects in Greenfield shall continue, as they are deemed essential, so long as they put the safety of the workers on the worksite first.

All projects will follow the guidance in the state document:

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Private projects must develop and submit a site-specific risk analysis and enhanced COVID-19 safety plan. The Greenfield Inspections Department, under the direction of Mark Snow, will review and approve such plan and, in its enforcement authority, may require such projects to pause construction until such a risk analysis and plan is submitted and approved. A site-specific COVID-19 Officer (who may also be the site's Health and Safety Officer) shall be designated for every site.

Projects continuing during this time under the direction of the Greenfield Department of Public Works will follow the same safety guidelines, and, under the supervision of Deputy Director Paul Raskevitz, has appointed site-specific COVID-19 Officers from the DPW personnel for each project to work with COVID-19 Officers from that specific work crew.

For more information on the Governor's order:

<https://www.mass.gov/doc/march-25-2020-construction-guidance/download>

For more information on worker safety:

https://41g41s33vxdd2vc05w415s1e-wpengine.netdna-ssl.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/COVID19_ConstructionSites_SafetyEnforcement-Procedures_Apr12020.pdf